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DRUG STORE FOR SALE—THOROUGHLY STOCKED, and on the corner of a beautiful block of marble buildings; sales can be \$20 per day; lease is worth \$1,000. Price \$2,000, part cash, balance notes or mortgage.

JAMES M. STARK, 40 Wall street, basement.

railroad over 100 acres, 20 in wood; good house and out buildings, all in perfect repair; a great quantity and variety of fruit trees; situation pleasant and healthy, and of easy access to the city several times a day. Apply to E. Y. ROGERS, Esq., Rahway, New Jersey.

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ness; also, three-fourths of the bark Mary: ild.
together with her cargo of assorted lumber for the att
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Also, one-fourth or the whole of the ship Leodes. This
ship has just been thoroughly overhauled, and is in
prime order for any voyage. JOSEPH H. TOONE,
Assignee, 67 Wall street. d by C. A. L. Blanchard &C . . . good o

ROR SALE—A FIRST CLASS HOUSE, WITH ALL THE modern improvements, built by days' work, and just completed, No. 22 Ninth street, bet seen Fifth and fixth avenues. Inquire of T. W. STRONG, No. 98 Nassau street.

FOR SALE—THAT VALUABLE GROUERY STAND on Eighth avenue, corner of Fourteenth street, with an unexpired lease of two years from lat May next. The stock has been well selected, has agood run of cash trade, and the rent low. Apply on the premises, to MARTHA LOCKWOOD, CHAS. S. LOCKWOOD, Administrators.

FOR SALE—A SCHUYLKILL CANAL BOAT, CALLED the General Washington, five years old, lying at Jersey City, near the Dry Dock. Apply on board, or address Francis, Jersey City Post Office.

BORSALE—AT KING'S BRIDGE, A VERY DESIRABLE residence, situated on the main road; the dwelling is a large, square two story full basement building, and contains all the modern improvements; the out buildings are a large barn, stable, ice house, cow and wagon sheds meadly arranged, and all in perfect order; there is an abundance and variety of fruit trees, grape vines and strawberry and raspberry beds, &c., and the very best of water, fishing and oystering facilities in the immediate neighborhood. The place will be sold low. For further particulars apply to L. PAWLING, on the premises, or at 119 Front street.

FOR SALE—A VERY HANDSOME FOUR STORY basement house, on Fourteenth street, in a fine seighborhood. The house is new, built by day's work for the owner, and is very stylish. Price moderate; terms easy; little money wanted. The furniture can be purchased at a low price. Apply to

E. B. KINSHIMER, 319 Fourth avenue, 3 to 7.

OR SALE -A CONVENIENT THREE STORY BRICK house, in good order, having been occupied but house, in good order, having been occupied but about two years, containing all modern improvements, gas, water closets, &c. Price and terms made known by calling on the present occupant, 221 West Twenty sevents street. Possession given to suit the purchaser.

FOR SALE—7HE LEASE OF THE NORTHWEST corner, with three adjoining houses, situated in the upper part of Broadway, paying a surplus rent of \$800 per year; or would exchange for dry goods, groceries, furniture, &c., &c. Address Dixon, Herald office.

FOR SALE.—A PROFITABLE MANUFACTURING business—will be sold at a low price, if applied for mmediately. Call or address, 53 Fulton street, third

TOR SALE—FOUR VERY NICE, GENTEEL DWEL, ling bouses, well located in the vicinity of Madison square, with modern improvements, and in elegant order. Prios 36,500, 58,000 and 88,500. Will be sold separate. Terms cary. Apply to E. B. KINSHIMER, 319 Fourth avenue, from 3 to 7 P. M.

TOR SALE—A NEAT THREE STORY BASEMENT brick house in West Twenty-sixth street, for \$5,000; a two story and basement brick house in West Eighteenth street, \$6,500; a three story brown stone from house in Thirty-second street, for \$7,500. The abone, with all the modern improvements. Also, in Seventeenth street, near Eighth avenue, a three story brick house, for \$4,500, and 200 other houses for sale by A. SERGEANT, 15 Wall street.

FOR SALE—A RESTAURANT AND SALOON ON Broadway, in good business. The location is the best, and it will be sold at great sacrifice if application is made immediately, as the owners are obliged to wind up business. Price \$550. Apply to M. B. FRANCES, 266 Washington street, corner of Murray.

TOR SALE—A BUSINESS DOWN TOWN, FOR \$300, netting yearly \$3,000 over all expenses. Also, a fancy goods store in Hudson street; splendid stand and trade. Price \$500. Also, a coffee and cake saloon in Nassau street; best stand and trade in the city. Price \$600. Also, five splendid lots at Port Richmond. Apply at 212 Broadway, room No. 13.

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FOR SALE CHEAP—EIGHT GANGS OF SAWS FOR sawing stone or marble. Wood and from work complete; best ever made in this country. D. G. STARKEY, First aveaue, between Twenty-eighth and Twenty-night

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TOR SAIE, OR EXCHANGE FOR A SMALL FARM near New York—A stock of ship chandlery, with the lease of store. Business long established. It will be sold low, as the owner intends to return to the country. Apply to JOS. W. ALLEN, No. 2 Nassau st. HOTEL FOR SALE-NEAR THE HUDSON RIVER

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OFFICES TO LET-LARGE AND SMALL, WELL slighted, with good air, to front and rear building, 81 Nassau street, suitable for offices or for light mechanical purposes. Inquire of EUGENE FERRIS, 62 Nassau street.

SEWING MACHINE.—FOR SALE, AT A REDUCTION of \$50 from regular price, one of I. M. Singer & Co.'s patent sewing machines, purchased from the manufacturers last July; has never been used, and is guaranteed to be in perfect order. Price, \$75. Apply to J. J. DORTIC, 102 Front street.

TO SALOON KEEPERS.—FOR SALE CHEAP, ONE splendid counter, two marble top tables, and four mirrors, suitable for a first class saloon. Inquire of GEORGE W. MUMLY, 59 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

TO FLUID AND CAMPHENE DI ALERS,—A CAPITAL opportunity is offered to any one wishing to engage in the fluid, camphene and lamp business, the present proprietor being obliged to go West in the spring. Address K., box 37, Albany.

TO PLUMBERS.—FOR SALE, A FIRST RATE PLUMSting establishment, with the stock and fixtures, in
the best location in this city, and now doing a flourishing business. It has a continual flow of steady customers, and will be sold low for cash or good security,
Apply to WM. KENNELDY, Real Estate Broker, 45 William street, third story.

TO HATTERS.—FOR SALE, A HAT STORE, LOCATED in a very flourishing neighboring city. Has been established eight years, and is doing a prosperous business. Terms will be made easy to a responsible purchaser. For particulars apply to JOHN HANFORD, No. 1 Ann street, N. Y.

THE STOCK AND FIXTURES OF AN ESTABLISHED THE STOCK AND FIXTURES OF AN ESTABLISHED custom and clothing store, of twenty years standing, for sale. The present proprietor wishing to retire from the same, would sell reasonable, and lease the store for a term of years. The store is on a prominent corner, and has done for a number of years a business of between thirty and forty thousand dollars per annum. The stock would amount to about fifteen thousand dollars, which would be exchanged for real estate, bonds and mortgages, or stocks, at their market value. Address Clothier, Herald office, stating real name and where an interview could be had.

TO OWNERS OF REAL ESTATE.—WANTED TO EX-change for a small sized modern built house, or other real estate, in this city, a stock of staple dry goods, at low wholesale prices. Apply to P. O. STRANG, 101 Liberty street.

HOUSES, ROOMS, &C., WANTED.

\$12.000 -HOUSE WANTED IN A GOOD blocation, between Tenth and Thirtieth streets, and Third and Eighth avenues, worth from \$9,000 to \$12,000. From \$2,000 to \$5,000 will be paid in cash, and the balance in a very fine house in Williamsburg, with extra size lot, and in the best location, near Feck Slip ferry. Inquire of JOHN A. CONDIT, 45 Wall street.

DRY GOODS OR PIANOS WANTED IN EXCHANGE for Western lands, stocks or real estate in Cincinnati. Any other goods suitable for the Western trade, or real estate here, would be taken in exchange. Address Western Merchant, box 4,677 Post Office.

HOUSE WANTED-BETWEEN CANAL AND FOUR. teenth streets, Bowery and Sixth avenue. Any person having one to dispose of reasonably may find teach customer by addressing C. S. F., Herald office.

OWNER WANTED FOR ONE CASE OF MERCHAN-dise, marked (G) Mc Mo. 70, left some time ago in front of store 62 Broadway, and taken care of by the porter. As no enquiry has been made as yet, the atten-tion of the proper owner is called to this advertisement.

REAL ESTATE.—WANTED TO PURCHASE—A NICE, sing dwelling house, on the west side of the city, below Fourteenth street. Price not to exceed \$5,000. Any person having such, will find a buyer by addressing E. B. KINSHIMER, 310 Fourth avenue.

ROOMS WANTED.—A PARLOR AND BEDROOM, OR bedroom with closet (unfurnished and without board), is wanted by a gentleman of very quiet habits. Location in Broadway, not further up than Fourteenth street, or in any one of the streets adjacent thereto. Address Mr. Edwards, Herald office.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—A FEW SLEIGH ROBES Any person having such to dispose of cheap will find a purchaser, by applying at Cooper's livery stable 121 and 123 Eighth avenue, corner of Sixteenth street.

WANTED—A FURNISHED ROOM, OF SMALL SIZE, and full board, by a single gentieman, located between Washington place and Fourteenth street, and Broadway and Sixth avenue; gas and fire in the room, with bath on same floor. Dinner at 6 o'clock. Private family preferred. Address P. G., Herald office, stating terms.

WANTED—TO RENT, A HOUSE WITH MODERN improvements, in a respectable neighborhood, between Houston street and Sixth avenue; rent 3600 a 5700. Address, stating terms, location, &c., 1103 William street, corner of John, up stairs.

WANTED TO RENT.—THE UPPER PART OF A HOUSE VV over a store, on the west side of the Bowery Rent not to exceed \$350 per annum. Address G. G. Herald office.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A NEATLY FURNISHED front room, with hall bedroom, and board, for a lady, child and nurse, west of Broadway. Terms moderate, payable in advance. Address A. B., Union square Post Office.

WANTED TO RENT-BY A FAMILY OF THREE W grown persons, the upper half of a two story house, with Croton up stairs, situated in a street cross-ing the Bowery, and not more than half an hour's walk from Chatham square. Address J. F., 189 Chatham

WANTED TO HIRE-WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESS of Broadway V sion, a house with modern improvements, west of Broadway, and not above Fifteenth street, nor below Spring. Rent not to exceed \$700. Address, stating terms, location, &c., 110% William street, corner of John, up stairs.

WANTED—IMMEDIATE POSSESSION OF A SMALL, well furnished house, situated near Broadway, and between Fourth and Fourteenth streets. Rent not to exceed \$500 per annum. Address box 3,333 Post Office.

WANTED—FOR A GENTLEMAN AND HIS WIFE part of a small house or cottage, convenient to a stage route, furnished or unfurnished. Please addres J. C. Gill, 86 Robinson street.

WANTED TO HIRE—THE UPPER OR LOWER PART VV of a house, furnished or unfurnished, in a re-spectable neighborhood. Possession required imme-diately. References exchanged. Address S. Stevens, Heraid office.

THE BALL SEASON.

SEVENTH ANNUAL BALL OF MANAHAN'S CORNET Band, will take place at Tammany Hall on the 12th inst. Tickets \$1; can be had at the door on the even-ing of the ball, and of Thos. Manahan, leader, 270 Bowery.

THE TWENTY-SIXTH ANNUAL BALL FOR THE BENE-at of the New York Fire Department Fund, will take place at the Academy of Music, Fourteenth street, on fonday evening, Jan. 15, 1888. Richets may be procured of the managers.

WATCHES, JEWELRY, &C.

CALIFORNIA DIAMONDS—GENTLEMEN'S CLUSTER pins with chain, \$5; without, \$4; cluster earrings, \$5 and \$7.50; ladies' cluster pins, \$10; gentlemen's single stone pins, \$5 to \$10; rings, \$5 to \$12. The best judges cannot tell them from the real.

L. & J. JACOIS, 407 Broadway.

DESKS, OFFICE TABLES, FURNITURE, &C., SELL-ing out at greatly reduced prices.—The subscriber having changed his business, and being desirous to close the concern without delay, offers the stock at prices that will suit any purchasers who may want ar-ticles in this line. WM. I. BRANCH, 45 Broadway.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

Convention of the Officers of the New York State Militia-Address of the President, Brig.

State Militia—Address of the President, Brig.
Gen. Z. T. Bentley.

PIRST DAY.

The third annual convention of the Military Association of the State of New York, under which title the officers of our State militia organized about two years ago, was commenced yesterday afternoon, in the lecture room of the Mercantile Library Association, in Astor place. In accordance with the notice published in Monday's HERALD, the members assembled at the Astor Monday's HERALD, the members assembled at the Astor House, from which they marched in a body at twelve o'clock, to the place of meeting, attended by the State Guards, Captain Johnson, as an escort. They were also accompanied by Dodworth's Band. On their arrival at the Library the Guards formed outside the building in two lines, between which the officers passed into the

The convention was called to order at a little after one o'clock in the afternoon, by the President, Beigadier General Z. T. Bentley, of the Nineteenth Brigade; after which the proceedings were opened with prayer by Rev. Mr. Hughes, Chaplain of the 42d Regiment. The President then proceeded to deliver the following

ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT.

OPTICENS AND GENTLEMEN MEMBERS OF THE NEW YORK
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At the conclusion of the foregoing address the roll was called, when it appeared that about ninety members was called, when it appeared that about nisety members were present. The roll, however, was not completed, and will not be till this morning, when it is expected all the members will be present. The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with; after which letters were received from the Mayor inviting the officers to visit the City Hall this morning; from the Mercantile Library Association, to visit that institu-tion; from Mr. Marshall, inviting them to be present at

lyn, to attend a review of Captain Sprague's company, this evening, at Moutague Hall, in that city. Besides this evening, at Mostague Hall, in that city. Besides these a letter was read from Gen. Swan, excusing himself for non-attendance, and another from Major Richardson, of the committee appointed at a former convention on rewards and drills, stating that he had been unable to devise any plan for the purpose. After the reading of these letters, a motion was made by Lieut. Garms, one of the members of the present State Legislature, from Ulster county, in favor of appointing a committee of five to examine the militia laws of this State.

by Lieut. Garms, one of the members of the present State.

Gen. Saxurons said that, asjyet, we had not sufficient experience of the operation of the present law, and he hoped that the convention would not agitate the subject at that time. He had no doubt that some modifications were necessary, but he thought it inexpedient to make them now, particularly as there were many persons who would willingly take advantage of the opportunity to abolish them altogather.

Lieut. Garms deemed it absolutely necessary that some alteration should be made to render them more effective than they are. He alluded particularly to the commutation system, which he considered entirely inefficient for the purpose for which it had been established. A committee should be appointed to examine the subject, and report whether it was capable of improvement. There was no danger that the law would be made worse by this course, or that the military would be rendered less efficient. The committee might report, and it depended, of course, upon the convention to adopt or reject their suggestions.

Gen. Saxurono moved that the question be laid upon the table till to-morrow. The motion was adopted.

The invitation of the Mayor was accepted, and the Convention appointed ten o'clock this morning as the hour to visit the City Hall. Half-past six was also fixed as the hour for the members to meet at the Astor House previous to going to Brooklyn to be present at the review of Captain Sprague's company, at Montague Hall.

The invitation of the Mercantile Library Association to visit the institution, was also accepted.

On motion, eleven o'clock this morning was appointed as the hour to which the Convention should adjourn.

Col. Saward moved that a committee of three be appointed to select an appropriate basilee of insignia to be worn by the members of this association, as a mark of distinction—to be worn by them on every occasion that they may deem fit.

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The resolution was adopted, and Cois. Seward, Lansing and Fairchild were appointed.

Gen. Yaras moved that a committee of one from each Division district be appointed to select officers for the ensuing year. This motion was also adopted, and the following were appointed:—First division, Brigadier-General Charles Yates; Second division, Beigadier-General Charles Yates; Second division, Beigadier-General Samson; Third division, Major-General J. B. Gray; Fifth division, Major-General S. B. Burnade, Sixth division, Colonel Faddock, Seventh division, Major-Charles R. Babkitt; Eighth division, General Gustavus Adolphus Serroggs.

Whereas, under long established precedent, which has operated as an incubus upon the efforts of all true friends of our military system, viz.: the regular succession, by seniority, of all officers—Resolved, That we, the members of this convention, do establish the principle of succession in office on the ground of merit alone, and would recommend that all offices vacant hereafter be filled either by election or the Executive—be filled upon the barrs of fitness for position alone.

Executive—be filled upon the baris of interest for posi-tion alone.

Gen. DURYEA called the attention of the convention to the necessity of establishing a military journal, which should be in immediate communication with headquar-ters, so that any orders might be made known as soon as possible to all the officers. He thought it would be well to consider this subject, and he would, therefore, move that a committee of three be appointed to report upon it at a future convention, or at the present one if it should be deemed desirable.

The motion was carried, and Gens. Duryea, Hall and The motion was carried, and Gens. Duryes, Hall and

The motion was carried, and Gens. Puryea, Hall and Brace were appointed.

The committee appointed at the convention held last year at Albury, to consider the question of rewards and drills, were continued, on motion of General Burnside. The convention then adjourned, to meet at 12 o'clock to day.

Last night the members attended the Broadway theatre on the invitation of Mr. Marshall.

Progress of the Municipal Revolution.

SIGNS OF IMPROVEMENT. The work goes bravely on at the Mayor's office every day. Complaints are pouring in from all quarters, our citizens seem determined to vigorously second the Mayor in his efforts to free the streets from mud, and cause a proper enforcement of the laws. The clerk was kept busy from ten o'clock in the morning until after our in the afternoon, in recording the grievances of our taxpayers, and even after that hour the cry was still

Some of our readers may think the Mayor's complaint book rather dull reading; but the fact is, some portions of it are quite amusing. A worthy shoemaker complains that a peliceman neglected to pay for his boots for over a year. This is a most serious charge, and it is to be hoped that the Mayor will see to it at once, for what dependence can be placed on a man who won't pay his shoemaker or tailor?

Whatever else may result from the present agitation it will at least show that New York is one of the filthiest cities in Christendom. Many streets have never even had a broom shaken at them since they were opened. and intervals of six months, and in many cases a year have elapsed without any purification. If we are to believe the captains of police, some of the wards show signs of improvement. Here and there a street is cleaned; the contractor, probably, being thawed out by the mild weather, or stimulated into unwonted activity

by Mayor Wood's vigorous proceedings.

But still much is to be done. Broadway, Chathau street, Bowery, besides any number of cross streets, were in a shameful condition yesterday. Mud, nothing but mud, was to be seen in the streets and on the side walks; and in one place in Fulton street a large hole, filled with slosh, and apparently large enough to drown a man, has been left for a number of days without any

effort being made to fill it up.

The following is taken from the returns at the Chief's office and from the complaint book now open at the

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WHAT THE CAPTAINS OF POLICE SAY—BIGNS OF IMPROVEMENT.

First District.—West street is in a fifthy condition, from listery place to Liberty street, together with all the cross-waits leading thereto. Cross-waits at corner of Smith and Depoyster streets wants repairing. Street lamps not lit at 86 and 100 Broadway; nor in Carllaje street, near West. Whole streets not lit for a week.

Fifth District.—Lamps not lit in a number of places in the ward. The streets begin to look much better. Leonard street was cleaned yesterlay. Side-walks encumbered in the following places.—North Moore, near West atreet, at No. 10 Vestry street; corner of York atreet and West Broadway. Goal ashes, garbage, &c., in the gutters of Chanal, Washington and Watts streets.

Eighth District.—A large heap of ashed and garbage in front of 43 Thompsen street! The officers report that the ash carts have not removed any from this spot for the last six months. Also, the streets and gutters from 31 to 43 Smilivan street are in a fifthy condition.

Eleventh District.—Some of the streets partially cleaned yesterday, but a vast amount of dirt yet remains to be removed. Complaints are continually made that the asd carts have not been around for a week. Lamps not lit in Houston, Stanton and Ridge streets.

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Fiftenth District.—The streets in the same flithy condition. No attempts have been made to clean them. In a lower part of the ward the sakes have accumulated so fast on the sidewalks that the citizens are obliged to throw them in the street.

WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY.

The following were entered on the complaint book at the Mayor's office yesterday —
In North William street, near Chatham street, an in supportable sterch arises, caused by the overflow of water closets on the west side. In Tryon row large heaps of ashes are accumulating for want of ash carts

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The water closet in the Park is a nuisance. A constant stench arises therefrom.

The cow stables and swill milk manufactories in the Tenth avenue are a nuisance.

The inhabitants of Liberty, Cedar, and other down town streets, complain that the sidewalks are turned town streets, complain that the sidewalks are furned.

town streets, complain that the sidewalks are turned into cooperages, where the passers-by are in continual danger of tearing their clothes, or having their feet smashed by the upsetting of boxes, or their eyes punched out by the end of a hoop.

Hacks and carriages without lights or number. Wharves and decks ensumbered by merchandise, which remain there often three days.

Raffling signs in the Bepery, in defiance of law.

That the carriages drive on the sidewalks near the Opera House in Fourteenth street, much to the annoyance of the neighbors.

An righth ward police officer threatens to break up a man's business.

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The police officers of the Fifteenth district don't patrol their beats and remove the beggars.

West Thirty-fourth street has not been cleaned in four months. There are no dirt carts, and the street is made the dumping ground.

A policeman in the Seventeenth ward has not paid his shoemaker in a year.

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All the streets between Second and Thild avenues have not been cleaned in six months—very fifthy.

Avenues A and B in a fifthy condition, have not been cleaned since November, 1854.

The sidewalks in South street, near Oliver and Catherine, are used for the sale of articles by pediars, to the injury of travel and business.

Violations of the fire laws in Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets.

East Seventeenth street has not been swept since last summer.

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Chambers street, from Broadway to the North River, has not been cleaned for two months, and the street reeks with all manner of fifth.

EMBREATH WARD RELIEF COMMITTEE.—An office has been opened at No. 3 Everett Hease, in Fourth avenue, between Seventeenth and Eightsenth streets, for the re-ception of ing ations for the poor. Mr. Valentine G Hall, No. 16 Grammercy park, I wentieth street, is the chairman and treasurer of the committee. The call of the committee is out, and it is to be hoped that the citi-zens of that ward will not be lehind their neighbors in this good work.

CHARITABLE CONCERT.—The Young America Ethiopian troups composed of very talented young artists, will give a concert at the Brooklyn Athenaum this evening: for the broeft of the poor of that city. The object is a worthy one, and the performance will be well worth the price of admission. A CONFIDENCE MAN AMONG THE CORN AND PROVISION

MERCHANTS —A smart "confidence man," from Mon treal last, recently made his appearance among our provision and breadstuff merchants. By the use of thos, arts so well known to "confidence men," he succeeded in gaining short credits from some of our merchants. His plan was to purchase flour, grain and pork, at full His plan was to purchase fluur, grain and pork, at fall selling prices, and then wheelround and sell out again at a serious reduction on cost, and put the money in his pocast. When he could no longer conceal his system of operating, he suddenly migrated to another field in which to display his enterprise. It was reported that he had operated in Montreal, where he left liabilities or differences amounting to some \$20,000. How much he has bagged in this city is not fully known, but it amounts to a considerable sum, though, probably, not equal to his Montreal operations.

**Exercise Fourtrest REMENT --Soon after 11 o'clock on FREE P FORTHER STREET.-Scon after 11 o'clock on

Monday night a fire broke out ina stable situated at the corner of Fortieth street and Eleventh avenue, which spread to the woodyard of Jehn Price, destroying some spread to the firewood, on which there was no insurance. The fire, it seems, was caused by a boy taking a campber is mp into the stable. The horse upset it amongst the bay and set fire to the stable. The fire would have been extinguished soon, but the scarcity of water prevented the firemen from working. Passes Shab .- We received yesterday two specimens of Fouthern shad, with the compliments of James W. Tay-

for of the steamer Augusta, from Savannah. The fish look well, and Mr. Taylor will consider himself thanked.

DRAKETIC PRESENTATION.—The members of the New York Bramatic Society presented to Theodore H. Nims a magnificent gold watch, on his retiring from the Presidency of that body, on the let of January, 1869.

Police Intelligence,

EXAMINATION OF JOHN NURN, CHARGED WITH T. TE FORDNING OF THE UNKNOWN WOMAN IN BOR. T STREET. Yesterday morning Coroner Gamble proceeded to the

city prison, for the purpose of examining John Nahn, on charge of having caused the death of the unbetween woman in Rose street, on the morning of the 4th inst.

on charge of having caused the death of the uniscover woman in Rose street, on the morning of the 4th inset, by administering to her adose of hydrocianic acid. The prisoner was attended by counsel, who advised him to make no explanation of his conduct on the morning in question, as will be seen from the following:

— Esy and County of New York, st.—John Nahn, being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty to answer or not sli or any questions put to nim, states as follows:

Q. What is your name? A. John Nubs.
Q. How old are you? A. Twenty-three years old.
Q. Where do you live? A. I decline to answer.
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Q. Have you anything to say, and if so, what, relative to the charge here preferred against you? A. By advice of my counsel, Sujismund Kaufmann, I decline to answer any questions.

Taken before me this 9th day of January, 1855,
ROBERT GAMSIA, Coroner.

Up to the present time no person has been found who could give any information as to who the deceased woman was, although every exertion has been made by the Coroner and his deputy to obtain some clue to the identity of the deceased. The case so far is veiled in mystery. The bedy was kept for four days in the decadhouse at Twenty-airth street, in order to give people an opportunity to identify it, but no one has yet appeared who can form any idea as to her identity. The deceased is supposed to have been a native of Ireland, although some of the jurors on the inquest are of opinion that she was a German and some near relative to the prisoner.

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The prisoner Nuhn was, at the conclusion of the examination, committed to his cell in the Tombs, to await the action of the grand inquest, now in session.

CHARGE OF BURGLARY.
Yesterday officer Jourdan, of the Sixth ward police. rrested a man named William McLane, charged with having burglariously entered the fatore corner of Little water and Anthony streets, and stealing therefrom some segars, &c. The burglary was committed on the 18th ult., and the accused was arrested on the charge of being implicated in the transaction. The accused was taken before Justice Bogart, who committed him for ex-

STABBING AFFRAY.

At an early hour yesterday morning four persons named John E. Capet, Mary Ann Capet, Hernard Daly named John E. Capet, Mary Ann Capet, Bernard Daly and Joseph Butterworth, were arrested by officers Cabre and Fritzen, of the Twentieth wast police, charged with having been implicated in stabbing E. E. Martin with a drk knife. It appears from the evidence and statement of the complainant, that on the merning in question, while Martin and others were in the porter house corner of Forty first street and Broadway, a row took place in which knives and pistols were used, and that in the affray Martin was severely stabbed with a dirk knife in the hands of one of the prisoners, which of them cannot yet be ascertained. All parties were brought before Justice Davison, at the Jefferson Market Police Court, who committed them for examination. Martin was conveyed to his residence, where he now lies in a dangerous condition.

No. 1.—Yesterday Sergeant Mansfield, of the Lower Police Court, arrested a woman, named Susan Hoare, who stands charged with having feloniously assauted Ellen E. Thompson, of No. 42 Leonard street, with a razor, inflicting a severe gash in her neck, and also with having struck her on the head with a tea cup, producing a contusion on the forehead. Jealousy is the slieged cause of the assault. The accused was taken before Justice Bogart, who locked her up in the Tombe for explication.

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No. 2.—Jane Cheesborough, a damsel of color, was ar-No. 2.—Jane Cheesborough, a damsel of color, was arrested by officer Webb, of the Lower Police Court, charged with having assaultedfklirabeth Chambers, also colored, by throwing at her a lighted camphene lamp, which cut and burned her neck and head in a frightful manner. These two women becoming very quarrelsome apen some trifling subject, the prisoner, without thinking of the fatal results that might ensue, anatched up a small glass burning fluid lamp, and huried it at the head of the woman Chambers, the sharp edges of the lamp cutting her severely, while the burning field burned her face and neck in a dangerous manner. The prisoner was taken before Justice Bogart, who committed her for trial.

SUSPICION OF BURGLARY.

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Yesterday Sergeant Jourday and officer Riker, of the Sixth ward police arrested two men on suspicion of be Sixth ward police arrested two men on suspicion of be-ing implicated in some recent burglary, as in their pos-session was found a lot of dry goods and hardware which had evidently been obtained in some irregular way. The priseners were found at the corner of Cross and Grange streets with the property in their possession, and on their giving no satisfactory account of the manner in which the property came into their hands, they were ta-hen to the Sixth ward station house and locased up for examination. A portion of the property was marked "A. B. Schemerhorn, Bond street."

Mary McCormack, lately a domestic in the employ-ment of Wm. H. Van Mater, of Maspeth, L. L., was arment of wm. H. van Mater, of Maspeth, L. L., was arrested yesterday, in this city, on a charge of stealing from her employer a gold watch valued at \$80, and a quantity of wearing apparel valued at \$40; in all, property to the amount of \$120. She admitted stealing the property on her arrest, and said that she was tempted to do so from extreme noverty. She was taken before Justice Weish at the Essex Market Police Court, who committed her for trial.

FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE -- GRAND LARGENY. James Morris, a lad sbout sixteen years of age, was James Morris, a lad shout sixteen years of age, was arrested yesterday by officer Hamblin, of the Third ward police, charged with having robbed his employer. Mr. George Ross, of Lafayette, Essex county, N. J., of \$50 in cash. It is alleged by Mr. Boss that he hired this youth in this city, to work on his farm at the above place, and that while with him, he took the opportunity to sreal \$50, and then ran off to this city, where he deposited the sum in the hands of a man for safe keeping. The accused was taken back to New Jersey for trial. The money was recovered from the person in whose hands the prisoner had longed it.

whose hands the prisoner had lodged it.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEW YORK HERALD.

New YORK, Jan. 9, 1855.

I notice in your paper of to-day a card signed by Thomas Hyer, in which he states that he was assaulted by Mr. laxer and myself, in the late affray which took place at Platt's saloon, in Broadway. I beg leave through your columns to pronounce this statement as false. Mr. Hyer was the aggressor, and appeared to be annous to come into collission with me. He also drew his pistol, and challenged me to fight, when officer Baker interiered and pushed me away from Hyer. Hyer again renewed the assault, and told me to draw my pistol—that he was ready to fight me. Furthermore, Hyer Gilowed me and officer Baker into the saloon, and was not "followed," as he states in his communication. Respectfully &c., JAMES TURNER.

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TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEW YORK HERALD.

The police regards on the first page of your paper of the 27th December 50th, is an erroneous statement of the disposition made by Justice Clark of a charge of perjury against James 6. Attridge. He was arrested on the charge, and held to hall before examination. After an investigation, Justice Clark, finding no cause to suspect that the offence had been committed, gave the accused an honorable discharge.

The publication reterred to, in a journal of your very large circulation, has done Mr. Attridge an irreparable injury, and I hope you will give equal publicity to this correction. Mr. A. is a gentleman of reputation and integrity, well known and respected by a numerous circle of triends in this city.

Yours, &c.

J. A. LOWE, 237 Broadway.

Accident on the Erie Railroad. ENGINE DESTROYED AND CARS THROWN OFF THE TRACE-ONE MAN SEVERELY INJURED.

An accident, which threatened at one time to be tended with serious consequences, occurred on the Erie Railroad on Monday night, at Port Jervis, near the Pelaware station, about a hundred miles from this city. It appears that as the night express train was approaching the Delaware station, on its way to Piermont, it run against a mass of stone, which had been thrown on the track by a land slide, and a serious collision ensued. The engine was broken, and the front baggage cars thrown off the track and considerably shattered. Mr. Potter, the baggage master, was severely injured, though he is considered out of danger. The greatest consternation prevailed among the passengers, but, fortunately, none of them were injured. They were detained in Delaware during the night, and did not arrive in town until last night.

CAPTURE OF A DUTCH VEHICL BY MALAY PIRATES. Laurence, of the clipper ship Mischief, arrived on Monday from China, makes the following report --

from China, makes the following report.—

Passed through the China Sea during the typhoon season, with very heavy weather. Out 18, entered the north end of Gaspar Straits, and at 9 AM saw a Dutch her's on chore, suprounded by Malay pirates and signals of distress Sying, also near her a ship walk, with only her topgallantmate above water; came to, in company with clipper ship Arriva, and seat an armed boat, as did the other her ships, to the her's assistance. She proved to be the Hanri Wester, from Mhampane for Antwerp, reseal and cargo a total concept the control of the Malays, who were slearing her of sweetfully imposed to the Malays, who were slearing her of sweetfulling gave the crew every assistance and proceeding 20th, was detained for hours while at anchor in Straits of Sunda, by a revoit of the error.

Meeting of the Representatives of the Fire

Department. The representatives of the New York Fire Department met at the Stuyvesant Institute last evening, for the purpose of regulating the sitairs of the body. Mr. John J. Tin dale was called to the chair, and Mr. J. S. Beleiter acted al Secretary. There were about two hundred members of the department present.

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The Commut tee on Firemen's Hall reported that the building was atmost finished, and the half would be ready in about 'wo months if the weather centinued good.

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A committee appended to procure the passage of a law by the Legislature for the better regulation of the law by the Legislature for the better regulation of the prepared and passed by the Legislature, but it do not come into law, as it had not been signed by the Governor. This bill provided for the election of fire commissioners—exempt firemen—by the representatives of the depastment, to regulate all organizations and hear all complaints of companies, &c. It would also have power to expel for disorderly conduct, with the consent of the Common Council. It was also provided that the Common Council should designs proper badge, the using of which by any other persons except fremers should be made a misdemeanor punishable by both fire and imprisonment.

Mr. Mittien made some very steingent remarks on the

of Bulding, without consulting the body in New York in any way.

Mr. Maxsyrkin offered a resolution calling on the members from New York in the Legislature to take no notice of such bills without first consulting this body.

This idea was opposed by some members.

The resolution was laid on the table.

A member enquired for information with respect to Mr. Stayweant's bill for the protection of firemen in New York.

It was stated that it was the same as a measure presented late last session.

After some further remarks on various matters, it was moved by Mr. Miller that the officers of the bedy exist a commutate of three to watch the progress of all measures relating to the body in the Legislature.

Some other business was transacted and the members

Jan 9 .- Augustus Travis, John Curley, John Water on, James McKenna, Bernard Swift, James Noble and John Linsky, (Alderman,) indicted with five others, were arraigned and pleaded not guilty to the charge laid-riot and tumult in Williamsburg, on Sunday, the

The following is the substance of the evidence additional of the Substance es Gallandet, when Captain of Police of the Se

made a misdemeanor punishable by both fire and imprisonment.

A request of the committee to be discharged from a further consideration of the subject was decied, and the members were redered to again report a suitable bill.

Some remarks were made in relation to arrears due by companies for the assessment towards the order stone expense of the new hall.

On motion, further time was given for payment.

The committee on the appointment of a suitable testimonial to Win. John Coper, late President of the Board of Trustees, reported that the testimonial was being new executed, and would soon be completed.

Mr. J. L. Miller reported from a committee appointed to confer with the Board of Councilmen with respect the re-organization of the department, that frequents

to confer with the Board of Councilmen with respect to the re-organization of the department, that frequents meetings had been held and all the metters fully dis-cussed. In order to assist them to a conclusion of their labors, they deemed a thorough examination of all the laws relating to the firemen should be made. They were being all collected by the Clerk of the Council, and until this was done the committee could not make a complete report.

The report was accepted as handed in.

Mr. Buka, Trustee, made a statement with regard to-the distribution of relief to a sick member. He held that a man was not a fireman unless he had passed the Common Council.

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This was opposed by some members, as the action of the Common Council was very slow and irregular. On motion, the matter was referred to a special committee of five, to be appointed by the Chair.

A resolution was offered to the effect that the Fire Wardens return a list of all unsafe buildings in his district to the different companies. It was passed.

A resolution was tendered asking for a special committee of five in order to investigate many grave charges against Hook and Ladder Company, No. 11, made through the public press. The resolution was offered by Mr. Hugh Lindsay.

Hook and Ladder Company No. 11, replied in a very distainful tone to the disreputable sharges. The paper replied to statements made in the Sunday Mercury respecting the sale of tickets for a hall, of the department's conduct at the late fire in Broadway, &c.

The resolution for appointing a special committee of five to report on the propriety of disbanding Hook and Ladder Company No. 11, was carried—the Chair to spoint the committee.

The Chair appointed the following committee, viz.—Hugh Lindsay, John Lynes, A. J. Garvey, H. Scott Ros, and H. E. Lynch, on the affairs of flock and Ladder Company No. 11.

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conduct of some members of the Legislature in intro include bills with regard to the offices of Commissioner of Ruiding, without consulting the body in New York

Some other business was transacted and the members adjourned, at a late hour, to 51st of January. The Williamsburg Street Preaching Riots. KINGS COUNTY COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Before H. A. Moore, Esq., County Judge, and Justices Stryker and Enmons.

laid—riot and tumult in Williamsburg, on Sunday, the 5th of July last. They were thereupon placed on trial J. Winslow Keq., the Assistant District Attorney, appeared for the prosecution, and N. P. O'Brien, Keq., for the defence.

Mr. Winslow opened the case, stating that the riot occurred about four o clock, on one Sunday afternoon, in North Second street. Williamsburg, where a large congregation had assembled to bear one or more preachers who were preaching upon a vacant lot there. An alarm of fire was raised, and an engine fully manned came rushing down the street into the crowd, as they the prosecution) contended for the prococerted purpose of dispersing it, well knowing there was no fire, the false alarm having been designedly given.

The following is the substances of the evidence adduced.—

disturbed, and could not recognize any of the defendants.

H.[C. Acker, deputy—Saw Swift, Kelly and Linsky there heard Swift say on the preaching ground they would soon disperse the mob, that they would get the engine out; there were not over a dozen or 5 frem with the engine when they starked.

The puties Charles E. Anderson and F. L. Newman testified only as to the general nature of the riot, but stated no new facts, and the presention rested.

The Assistant District Attorney said he had no evidence against the prisonners Waterson and McKenna, and concented to their discharge.

For the nefence, Charles Sherman officer, deposed that he was detailed by the Mayor to be present. Alberman Linsky appeared to be endesvoring to prevent a breach of the peace when the engine came up, he told them not to break it, it was corporation property and he would protect it.

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John D. Hunt, chief's aid, also testified that Linsky did not participate in the riot. The police were ordered; out by the Mayor, but the special deputies were not as we club flying, but they were in the hands of the police and the deputies only.

Harvey Manqui saw the engine come out, and there were only fifteen men with her.

A witness deposed he had been to Jamaica with Keily, and they were starring home when the engine rolled up the street, and Keily joined it to do his daty and take the command.

James McKenna deposed he was in company with Nobie that afternoon, and that the latter was not on the ground at all.

Counsel having summed up, Judge Moore charged the jury on the law, and directed them to inquire carefully whether any of the parties were present emisavoring far preserve the peace, and not to allow any political prejudice to bias their judgment upon this exciting subject.

The jury retired, and at six o check, being unable to agree, were belief up for the night, and the quart adjourned.